

## Message Text

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TAGS: OEXC, ML, (LY, SEKOU)

SUBJ: ROCHESTER-BAMAKO SISTER CITY IV SEKOU LY

REF: A) STATE 127840; B) BAMAKO 1856

1. LY ETA NEW YORK AUGUST 2 VIA TW 803  
FROM PARIS, ARRIVING 1455.

2. BIO-DATA FOLLOWS: BORN 1933 IN BOUGOUNI,  
MALI; MARRIED, 8 CHILDREN (2 BOYS, 6 GIRLS)

3. EDUCATION: LYCEE TERRASSON DE FOUGERES,  
BAMAKO, 1951.

ECOLE DES OFFICIERS DE STRASBOURG,  
FRANCE. HOLDS RANK OF CAPTAIN IN MALIAN ARMY.

4. TRAVEL: FRANCE, GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC,  
SENEGAL, SOVIET UNION, ITALY, U.S. (1971)  
PRESENT POSITION: ADMINISTRATEUR DELEGUE (MAYOR)  
DU DISTRICT DE BAMAKO; FORMER POSITION: MAYOR OF  
NIORO DU SAHEL AND COMMANDER OF REGIONAL MILITARY UNIT.

6. PROFESSIONAL, SOCIAL ORGANIZATIONS:  
MEMBER, EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF MALIAN FEDERATION  
OF SISTER CITIES; PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION  
OF BLIND PEOPLE OF MALI.

7. LANGUAGES: FRENCH, BAMBARA, VERY LITTLE  
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ENGLISH.

8. INTERESTS: URBAN DEVELOPMENT, ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS.

9. HOBBY: HORSE-RACING AND BREEDING

10. MR. LY IS A MOSLEM: ALCHOLIC BEVERAGES AND PORK SHOULD BE AVOIDED.

11. PLEASE FORWARD FISCAL DATA ASAP.  
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